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LIBERAL CANDIDATE DISCUSSES GRAPE SITUATION IN PENINSULA

Says Dumping Duties Will Be Retained If Liberals Returned — Company Prepared To Buy Surplus Grape Crop If Freight Preference Given — Speaks At Grimsby.

At a meeting held in St. Mary's Hall on the Mountain top, Grimsby, on Friday evening Mr. A. E. Coombs, the Liberal candidate for Lincoln, in discussing the grape situation, intimated that an English company had offered to take the surplus crop of grapes, erect a pressing plant in the peninsula, shipping the juice to England to be made into low grade wine, if assurances were given that the company would be given freight preference. He also announced that he had received a letter from Mr. Mackenzie King, Liberal Leader, stating that dumping duties would be retained.

A good-sized crowd was in attendance. In introducing the candidate Mr. Les Farrell said he knew practically every one in the audience was vitally interested in the grape situation and it would be worth while for them to note what had been done for them since a Liberal government had been returned to the Provincial House.

Previous to that election the price of grapes had ranged from \$12 to \$20 per ton. There was very little time for anything to be done the year of the change of administration, but last year the price was set at \$40 and again this year the growers were assured of \$40 a ton for blues and \$50 a ton for whites. This showed that something had been accomplished, he said.

In the meantime what help had the growers received from the Conservative government at Ottawa under R. B. Bennett, he asked. They had lowered the Excise tax on distilled beverages but had left the tax on native wines thereby hampering the winery marketing their product and in turn hampering the growers. If the wineries didn't sell their product they couldn't very well buy grapes.

"I have the assurance that when Mackenzie King is returned to power one of the first taxes he will cut will be the excise tax on native wines," concluded Mr. Farrell.

He then introduced Mr. Coombs who was greeted by much applause.

After a few preliminary remarks Mr. Coombs appealed to the audience to return him to power. "Knowing your life and your requirements on the farm, as I myself was brought up on a farm, I have that knowledge that would be helpful to me in representing you," said Mr. Coombs.

"What had caused the failure of the Bennett government?" he asked. "It was the exaggerated promises the Tories had made before election, promises which no one could fulfill. Didn't he tell you he would cut unemployment, and what did he do? He set tariff walls so high no one would trade with us and trade means employment. And who was his right hand man? No other one but Stevens, the reconstructionist. He was Minister of Trade and Commerce and it was his duty to make trade treaties but couldn't side by side they worked, promising anything."

"Lowering of taxes was another one" (Continued on page 8)

Oak Street Residents Annoyed By Pest Getting Into Homes

For some time past residents on Oak Street have had to contend with a pest which has gotten into their homes as well as being found in large numbers on trees in that vicinity.

Information concerning the insect and the measures necessary to eliminate it are contained in the following letter from Mr. W. A. Ross of the Vineland Experimental Farm received by town clerk Bourne:

Vineland Station, Ont., September 9th, 1935.

The Town Clerk, Grimsby, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

The insect which is so abundant on the trunks of trees and on some of the houses near the Desrochers Distillery in the town of Grimsby, I have never before seen this insect in Ontario, but I know that in Manitoba in the fall of the year, during seasons when the bug is abundant, it is not unusual for the insects to migrate from their feeding grounds into outbuildings and houses in search of suitable quarters in which they pass the winter. They do not, of course, cause any injury in dwellings, but their presence is objectionable to the occupants.

Where the bugs are congregated in large numbers on the sides of houses and on the trunks of trees, they may be killed by pouring boiling water over them, or by spraying them with a strong contact spray, such as kerosene emulsion. I have no doubt a soap solution, 1 pound in 4 gallons, would also destroy them.

Yours very truly,
W. A. Ross,
Stationologist in charge.

TO BE TRIED AT FALL ASSIZES

Clinton Twp. Resident Committed For Trial On Manslaughter Charge Following Inquest.

Immediately following the inquest at Smithville on Wednesday last on the death of Isaac Howard, Smithville man who was killed in a motor accident on No. 20 highway on the evening of July 27 last, John Hopkins, Clinton township, driver of the car in which Howard was a passenger, appeared before Magistrate James H. Campbell on a manslaughter charge and was committed for trial at the fall assizes. Hall was not asked for. Hopkins has been under arrest since the evening of the fatal accident. Evidence at both inquest and preliminary hearing was practically the same.

The finding of the jury, under Dr. J. D. Prior, coroner, was as follows: "We, your jury find that Isaac Howard came to his death on No. 20 highway in the township of Gainsborough, county of Lincoln, on the evening of July 27, 1935, through being in collision with a car driven by Mr. Heagy, of Stratford, Ont., and a car driven by John Hopkins, of Clinton township, county of Lincoln, Isaac Howard being a passenger in the car driven by John Hopkins."

Mrs. Gustave Heagy and Miss Mary Heagy, Stratford, told of seeing the Hopkins car approaching and swerving directly into the path of the vehicle. Mrs. Heagy testified: "I was on a bottle on the side of the road and I remarked, 'That's the dirty stuff that caused the accident.' At this point a gallon wine jug, partly full, was produced by Provost Constable Robble, and Mrs. Heagy identified it as the one she had seen on the roadside. Magistrate Campbell ruled that, in respect of evidence of intoxication, there was sufficient evidence to warrant a commitment. Evidence had shown that the prisoner was driving at the extreme right-hand side of the road for a mile, then his car went off the pavement and in trying to get it back crossed the road. A smash had occurred and a man had died."

VOTERS' LIST FIGURES IN LINCOLN COUNTY

The total number of voters in Lincoln County after the revision of the voters' list is 24,535, the figure before the revision was 24,100, according to a statement by the Dominion franchise Commissioner, in Welland County the figures at the registration and after the revision were: 46,390 and 47,148. Similar figures for West-
worth were, 35,898 and 40,850.

LIBRARY PATRONS ARE INCREASING

Substantial Advance In Circulation During Summer — Board Has Blower Attachment To Furnace Installed To Reduce Fuel Bill.

At the September meeting of the Grimsby Public Library Board held on Thursday evening last, the librarian, Miss Blanchard, submitted figures for the months of July and August indicating increased patronage of the library during the summer months. The advance in circulation in August over the month of July this year was 600. The circulation in August as compared with the same month last year showed an increase of 874 while in July the increase was 132.

The circulation report for the two months was as follows:

Class	July	Aug.
Adult Fiction	1774	2306
Adult non fiction	122	206
Juvenile	204	311
Magazines	130	142
	2030	3165

The Board recently approved of the installation of a blower attachment to the furnace, the cost of which will be saved in a current winter through the utilizing of a cheaper grade of fuel. This will enable the Board to make a substantial saving in the fuel bill each year. It is understood that blowers are being used to an increasing extent by business places and households in order to reduce the outlay for fuel.

During the past few months new books purchased have been added to the library while valuable books now in the library in need of repairs have been repaired at a very reasonable cost, making them available to patrons.

The growing patronage being accorded the Grimsby Library indicates appreciation of the facilities afforded for both instruction and entertainment in the many volumes contained in that institution.

MYSTERIOUS DEATH REPORTED

Unidentified Body Found Hanging In Barn In Clinton Twp. — Thought Case Of Suicide.

Another mysterious death has occurred in the district with the recent finding of an unidentified body hanging in the barn of an unoccupied farm in Clinton township owned by John Dearach of Toronto. Facial identification was impossible owing to the advanced state of decomposition but police are working in an effort to identify him through several keys including car keys and Yale lock keys found in the pocket. In the pocket was a small sum of money amounting to \$3.95. There were as well several papers but it was impossible to decipher the wording.

The man, who it is believed is about 40 years of age, was without hat or coat, wearing a vest and shirt with sleeves rolled up. The clothing was torn and might be worn by a work-

man. In his pocket was a piece of cash cord similar to that by which the body was hanging. According to Coroner Dr. J. D. Prior the neck was not broken but he declared that death was the result of strangulation.

Some five years ago another similar case involved considerable mystery in the death of Charles Royal Grant, a 12 year old adopted son of James Lampman who was found hanging from the limb of a tree in Gainsborough Township, only a short distance from the scene of the present incident. No solution to the hanging was ever found, many believing it to be a case of murder although no motive was ever established.

WELLAND COUNTY ROAD SUPT. PASSES AWAY

William Wesley Brookfield county road superintendent of Welland, passed away last week in his 74th year. Born in Crowland township, he has been a life-long resident of this county, and prior to being appointed road superintendent in 1918, he followed farming. He is survived by one daughter, Mary L. Brookfield of Welland, and was predeceased by his wife some years ago. He was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brookfield, of Crowland township. He was reared in Crowland township for many years and a prominent member of the Conservative party.

CANADA TO KEEP OUT OF QUARREL, SAYS BENNETT

Canadians Would Not Be Embroiled In Foreign Trouble If Rights Not Involved — Plans To Pension Workers At Age of 60 — Would Scale Down Railway, Provincial And Municipal Obligations And Refund At Lower Rates — Heard In Two Radio Broadcasts.

In the first two of a series of four election campaign addresses by radio given on Friday and Monday evenings, Right Honourable R. B. Bennett, Prime Minister of Canada, set forth the platform on which the Government is appealing to the electorate, enunciating proposals which his government intends making effective if returned to power. Further radio addresses will follow on Wednesday and Saturday evenings of this week.

In peace and in war the Conservative party stood for Canadian rights and against economic aggression of any foreign power, but Canadians would not be "embroiled" in any foreign quarrel where the rights of Canadians are not involved. Prime Minister Bennett declared at Ottawa on Friday evening.

Opening his general election campaign with the first of a series of addresses broadcast over a national radio hookup Mr. Bennett said "we are conscious of a dangerous international situation," but in world politics Canada should be sure "for she has no ambitions which peace cannot gratify."

"If trouble came it will be somebody else's fault," said Mr. Bennett. "And I consider it to be the solemn duty of government, by all just and honorable means, to see that Canada is kept out of trouble. We have bought and paid for security and for peace, and we mean to have them."

Ready To Trade

Mr. Bennett scored the free trade policies of the Liberal party, and warned his listeners that Mackenzie King came as leader of a party once great but "whose greatness was nurtured by an economic state of things to which we have said good-bye." While ready and willing to trade with any country that would trade on even terms, he declared, his government would never abandon protection so long as the nations of the world maintained their policies of economic nationalism.

To remove protective trade restrictions would be to "break our domestic business and would not get us a single dollar more in foreign business."

Mr. Bennett told of the trade dispute with Japan, and accused the Liberal leader of having threatened that country's hand by his campaign declaration against trade restrictions.

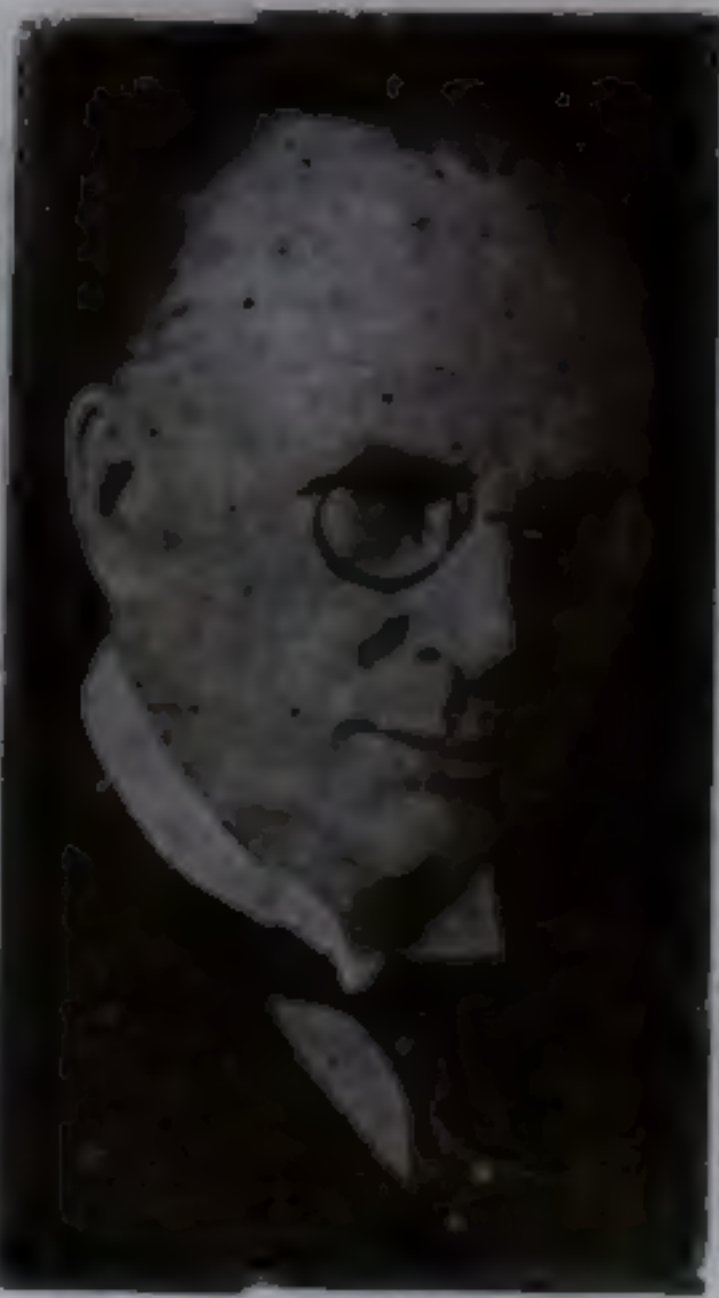
Self Freedom

Japan demanded removal of Canada's protective restrictions against lowered currency values and cheap labour. Wednesday Mr. Bennett dispatched a note to Japan warning that government that unless the tariff were removed he would terminate the 1913 agreement which has guaranteed equal treatment in trade between the two countries, and take such other action as deemed necessary to protect the national interest.

"If Canadians were willing to sell their birthright of independence such a surrender would not sell your goods in Japan or anywhere else but would drive our workers to the ranks of the unemployed."

Second Broadcast

Specific and spectacular proposals for the solution of financial, economic, and unemployment problems which beset the nation were submitted to the people of Canada Monday night by



RT. HON. R. B. BENNETT
Prime Minister of Canada

Prime Minister Bennett in the second of his election campaign addresses by radio.

Mr. Bennett's "Reconstruction" Plans

The cardinal points were these:

1. Comprehensive reconstruction of the Canadian debt structure, public, private, domestic and external.
2. Writing-down of city-dweller's debts by applying to urban homeowners the principle of the Farmers' Creditors Arrangement Act, which will give them a fresh start in keeping with their capacity to pay.
3. Introduction of a huge debt-conversion scheme providing for the scaling down of Canadian National Railways, Provincial and municipal debts and refunding them at lower rates of interest.
4. Establishment of a National Loan Council, similar to the one which functioned so successfully in the United Kingdom, to reconstitute the national debt of Canada, the railway debt, Provincial and municipal debt.
5. Prohibition of future issue of tax-free bonds offered by the Dominion of Canada.
6. Co-operation with Provinces and municipalities in refunding operations upon terms and conditions just to the people of Canada.
7. Enactment of legislation providing for the removal from the labor market of workers who have reached the age of 60; this to affect 120,000 in the first year of its operation.
8. Appropriation by Parliament of money sufficient to provide for training of boys and girls who have been denied proper education because of conditions for which neither they nor their parents are in any way responsible.

Canada Burdened By Debt.

Discussing his financial proposals, the Prime Minister said: "We have reached the point where our debt is well-nigh unbearable, and 'what the people' of Canada must determine now is whether they will wait until our debt has broken us or whether they will act without further delay, so that the benefits of an honorable reconstruction may be theirs."

North Grimsby Twp. Mans Gets Patent On New Invention

Henry Stimon Johns of North Grimsby Township is listed by the United States Patent Office among those receiving patents on new inventions last week. His is for an improved type of conveying mechanism of rubber-like belts adapted to travel in face contact. Each belt has two carrying cavities in its contacting face for transporting and holding articles.

The inventor's application has been before the department's examiners since May 12th, 1934. It was finally approved by them last week as to 40 features of originality and improvement. Commercial rights according to the Patent Office, has been assigned to Bancroft Holdings Ltd., of Hamilton, Ont.

BIG SHIPMENTS OF PLUMS FROM NIAGARA PENINSULA

Standard Time Again In Effect On Sunday

Grimsby will again revert to standard time at midnight on Saturday so that it will be necessary for citizens to turn back their clocks one hour before retiring on Saturday evening. Daylight Saving has been in effect here since Sunday, May 8th, Hamilton also observing Daylight Saving for the same period.

SEPTEMBER SESSION GRIMSBY COUNCIL

Building Permits Granted And Other Matters Dealt With — Light Docket Of Business.

The Grimsby town council held its September session on Wednesday evening when the docket of business was a comparatively light one, council adjourning shortly before ten o'clock. All members were present, Mayor McPherson in the chair.

Building permits as follows were approved: G. J. McConachie, 50 Robinson St. E., W. J. Neville, 53 Mountain St., Ed. Todd, 23 Depot St., Merritt Bros., Victoria Ave. and A. G. Hayton, 24 Fairview Ave.

The application for license to Ed. Todd to sell fruit and vegetables at fruit stand on Anderson property was approved.

A rebate of business tax was made to W. S. Hardman for the period Sept. 15th to the end of the tax year covering Grimsby Hardware, 6 Main St. E. The account of Joint Fire Committee as per voucher list amounting to \$75.54 was passed.

The council took no action in the matter of rebate in taxes to Mrs. Emily Swanson and Mrs. Lotta Patterson.

Relief accounts for August, 1935, amounting to \$38.55 were passed. The accounts as per voucher lists amounting to \$1899.13 were passed.

The Police Report for the month showed police court cases 7, convictions 5, cases dismissed 2, complaints investigated 47, dogs destroyed 3, cats 14, fines paid to town \$2.00, transients accommodated 38 and motor accidents 4.

The town clerk was requested to interview the highway department with reference to regulations governing the erection of signs on the highway and in town for the information of council and citizens.

The transfer of the east half of northwest quarter of section 12, range 1, Queen's Lane Cemetery from the estate of Lealie H. Russ to the town of Grimsby was approved and the transfer of the east half of the southwest quarter of section 12, Range 1, from Judson D. Russ to the town of (Continued on page 8)

Attendance And Sales At National Exhibition Best In Years

The booming over the broad spaces of Exhibition City Saturday night registered official closing of the 57th Canadian National Exhibition, described by officials as the best in several years from the standpoint of attendance and business turnover.

The great fair which started two weeks ago had a recorded attendance of an even 1,500,000 up to Friday night and when the gates closed more people had passed through the turnstiles than in any years since 1928.

Exhibit on officials estimated sales showed an increase of from 40 to 300 per cent. over last year, turnover was \$40,000,000 without counting major sales and 7,000 persons had been given work during the two weeks.

SEED TIME AND HARVEST COME TOGETHER

Seed time and harvest come together this year in Saltfleet township. The unusual spectacle of sowing fall wheat and harvesting oats taking place on adjoining farms was seen on the mountain this week. Very little ploughing has been done for fall wheat on account of the extreme dryness, only those having summer fallow being able to sow. The outlook at present for the usual acreage of this cereal being sown is not very encouraging, the long harvest and the dry weather combining to make it almost impossible for farmers to prepare the land for sowing.

Niagara Packers Ltd., Grimsby, Forwarding Close To 60 Carloads To England — Give Employment To 75 Hands—Fruit Farmers Benefit.

The scarcity of plums and prunes in England together with the favorable preferential tariff, has resulted in large shipment of these fruits to England, from the Niagara Peninsula, orders having been placed early in August by English buyers. In this area it is the prunes and plums which comprise the big demand on the English market. The abundance of plums and prunes in this district this year and the light English fruit crop is working to the advantage of the fruit growers, the preferential tariff providing the method whereby Canadian fruit can reach the English market at a price which the jam manufacturers can afford to pay.

Among the largest shippers of this fruit to the Old Land this year is the Niagara Packers of Grimsby who it is expected will have shipped close to 60 carloads by the time the season closes. A staff of upwards of 75 employees has been busily engaged during the past few weeks preparing Damsen and Reinclaude plums for shipment to England and the farmers are finding a ready market for this fruit. The fruit is brought in daily by the farmers of the surrounding district and the Niagara Packers plant on Livingston Avenue is the scene of much activity.

The company is also shipping about 30 carloads of pears to England but the shipment, it is stated, is not as heavy as in former years.

The plums are carefully graded, and packed in various types of baskets, the fruit being kept from injury by a corrugated bottom layer, a cardboard liner around the basket and an excelsior pad beneath the cover, the latter being wired onto the baskets. As soon as packed the fruit is sent to the cold storage plant adjoining, slowly chilled and left in cold storage until loaded onto refrigerator cars for Montreal. The voyage across the ocean is also in refrigeration, thus ensuring delivery of the plums in good condition.

A total of 150 carloads of fruit from the Niagara district will be shipped to Great Britain this year, according to estimates made by H. H. Ponton, fruit inspector for Western Ontario. Mr. Ponton said this season is the best from the standpoint of export trade ever experienced by fruitgrowers in this district.

With last year's shipments totalling only about 25 carloads, no less than 34 carloads of plums and pears will be cleared at Grimsby to sail from Montreal on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

RAINFALL BENEFITTED PEACHES AND GRAPES

Peaches and grapes benefitted materially from the recent rainfall, which also proved of assistance to farmers ready to start their fall ploughing.

Reports from throughout the county indicate that peaches have been willing on the trees after a two months drought, while grape foliage was beginning to wilt and turn brown, with the fruit falling to fill out to its maximum.

Rainfall has been scarce during the hot summer months, and only continued cultivation on heavily fertilized ground enabled the fruit growers and farmers to offer choice fruits and vegetables.

The public is invited to witness at the Grimsby Lawn Bowling Club on Monday night next what promises to be the outstanding event of the bowling season, when the civic representatives and officials will bowl three risks of Grimsby Bowlers. From month to month you have seen civic officials at work so come out and see them at play.

Coming Events

Citizens of Grimsby and North Grimsby are invited to attend a meeting at Strathguy Hall on Friday evening, September 13th, at 8.15. Mr. J. H. Avery, M.P.P. will give an account of his stewardship. Mr. A. E. Coombs, Liberal candidate for the Dominion House will also address the meeting.

THE ANNUAL GARDEN PARTY of St. Joseph's Church will be held Friday and Saturday, September 13 and 14, on the Church grounds.

Coming Events

THE WOMEN'S AUXILIARY of Trinity United Church intend holding a Bazaar and Sale in the vacant office west of Brown's Hardware, on Saturday, September 14th.

THE LADIES' AID OF ST. JOHN'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH will hold a Bazaar and Sale Saturday afternoon, September 14th, in the Gas Office, Main Street. All kinds of homemade baking.

AUGUST BUILDING FIGURES HIGHER

\$23,837,400 In Contracts Awarded During Month Of August

Contracts awarded throughout Canada for the month of August, as compiled by MacLean Building Reports Limited, amounted to \$23,837,400, as compared with \$18,542,200 for July and \$13,542,200 for August, 1931. Normally there is a decline in construction awards in the late summer but this has been offset this year by some large engineering contracts in the province of Quebec.

The month's figures by provinces are as follows: Quebec, \$11,212,700; Ontario, \$6,763,100; Nova Scotia, \$2,655,100; British Columbia, \$1,450,000; Saskatchewan, \$701,600; Alberta, \$500,000; Manitoba, \$268,000; New Brunswick, \$239,900; Prince Edward Island, \$79,200.

For the year to date, total awards amount to \$117,941,100 as compared with \$85,551,100 for 1931 (eight months); \$55,542,200 for 1932, increase over past three years is 37.7 per cent., 114.4 per cent. and 19 per cent., respectively.

Contracts awarded by provinces for eight months as compared with the same period for 1931 are as follows:

1932	1931
Ontario	\$63,551,100
Quebec	\$23,767,400
N. Brunswick	\$2,655,100
Nova Scotia	\$2,655,100
P. E. Island	\$258,100
Manitoba	\$268,000
Saskatchewan	\$701,600
Alberta	\$500,000
B. Columbia	\$939,400

Totals .. \$117,941,100 \$85,551,100

Large Awards In August

Construction contracts awarded in Canada during August, where the value of the work undertaken exceeded \$50,000, were as follows: Montreal, dredging, \$5,478,200; Montreal, wharf, \$1,034,000; Halifax, public building, \$1,000,125; Montreal, Parliament Building, \$800,000; Montreal, wharf, \$710,310; Montreal, rebuilding wharves, \$536,975; Little Narrows, N.S., crushing plant, roads and warehouse, \$500,000; Regina, public building, \$461,400; Montreal, extension to pier, \$268,430; Toronto, harbor head wall, \$297,430; London, station, \$200,000; Toronto, theatre, five stores and offices, \$175,000; Toronto, completion of apartment hotel, \$150,000; near Ottawa, dam and bridge, \$125,000; Outremont, factory and warehouse, \$125,000; Ottawa, apartments, \$120,000; near Windsor, memorial temple, \$115,000; Three Rivers, sewers, \$110,000; Quebec, extension to wharf, \$101,725; Kirkland Lake, tunnel, \$100,000; Ottawa, plant addition, \$100,000; Hamilton, orphanage, \$100,000; Belleville, science building, \$80,000; Byron, surgical pavilion, \$75,000; Toronto, hospital addition, \$75,000; Gravenhurst, dormitory, \$75,000; Campbellton, dredging, \$73,000; Owen Sound, revetment wall, \$60,000; Montreal, car fill, \$60,000; Outremont, residence and garage, \$55,000; Montreal, pumping unit and apartments, \$52,025; Cochrane, post office, \$50,000; St. Thomas, cold storage building, \$50,000.

Rehabilitation Scheme Successful

Winnipeg.—Despite the havoc wrought by riot in some localities, families settled under the Manitoba Rural Rehabilitation plan are maintaining a remarkably good record in the fourth year of operation of the scheme.

The Manitoba Rural Rehabilitation Commission began operations May 2, 1932. Since that time 762 families have been settled. Of these, only 44 have come back on relief, and of these 44, no less than 28 have applied for a second chance, which is in itself a pretty fair proof of the permanent attractiveness of the plan. Fifty families have attained the "gold standard"—become entirely self-supporting. Another 250—practically one-third of the whole number—are on a partially self-supporting basis, getting along on a grocery allowance of \$4 to \$6 per month, producing the rest of their subsistence themselves.

SO THEY SAY

"Criticisms and insinuations, but do not attack individuals."—Dean Inge.

"It is not growing like a tree in bulk, but like a man in intellect."—Ben Johnson.

"Hostile philosophies war with one another, like male and female, and become fruitful only when they merge."—Will Durant.

English Villages Again Caring Water



The heat wave spread over England recently and London had to be supplied with water from 16 miles distant. Rural councils in Lincolnshire had to cart water twice a week for the use of villagers. Kingswood, Buckinghamshire, receiving their supply from a tank truck.

The Week In Ottawa

OTTAWA.—Prime Minister Bennett will open his election campaign this week with a radio address over a wide hook-up Friday night at nine o'clock, daylight saving time. He will speak for a half hour. Mr. Bennett is scheduled to make three more radio addresses after Friday: on Monday, September 9, Wednesday, September 11 and Saturday, September 14. All speeches will commence at nine o'clock, D.S.T.

There is more or less an air of tranquillity around Parliament Hill these days, about the sole activity being the odd session of Cabinet. Throughout the province of Ontario, however, nomination meetings are being held by all parties, and present indications are that there will be more men in the field at the general election on October 14 than there has been in some time. Of course, there is always the possibility of one or more candidates dropping out at the last minute in the various ridings, and consequently the field will narrow down. However, scrutineers and tabulators are going to have one of the toughest jobs they have ever had to handle.

According to the list of executive positions to be filled in the new Employment and Social Insurance Commission, there are a few juicy plum to be picked. Salaries range from \$4,000 to \$5,000. As a result of publication of the available positions in influential persons have been besieged with applicants. Whether or not it will do them any good is questionable, because it has been stated that a Civil Service Commission will have much to do with the selection of men for the commission's offices.

In spite of the fact that the government's Housing bill has been the target for some very scathing criticism, the Finance Department last week issued a report to the effect that lending institutions were being swamped with applicants for loans, and inquiries as to the working of the act. It looks like all of fifty millions of dollars will be involved by the time the scheme gets under way.

LABATT KIDNAPPING NOT CANADA'S FIRST

By Fred Williams in the Toronto Mail and Empire

Is there anything new under the sun? When just about a year ago Canada was astonished by the kidnapping of John R. Labatt, of London, it was generally supposed that this was the first attempt at abduction in Canadian history. But it was not.

The Evening Telegram, going through its files, discovered that Toronto had had a kidnapping in 1870, the victim being no less a person than Robert Jaffray, then one of the city's leading merchants, destined to become one of its chief financiers, president of the Globe Printing Company and a Senator from 1900 to his death.

wonder that such an outrage could take place in Toronto:

At 8 o'clock on the night of Aug. 21, a two-horse covered vehicle stopped at the Greenacre Street door of Mr. Jaffray's residence. Two men ran the bell, which Mrs. Jaffray answered. Told he was out, they said: "We have urgent and important business with him that will break no delay. We must see him tonight, so we will call again later." Calling at 10 p.m., one introduced himself to Mr. Jaffray as a detective, and presented a note, purporting to be signed by Judge Adam Wilson, directing that Jaffray be taken to Wilson's home on the Kingston Road (now Queen Street, east of the Don), the course was turned. Mr. Jaffray's companion, who had been feigning sleep, said they were taking a short cut. Finally, after passing a lighted cottage, the carriage was stopped, and "a more loudly spot for the commission of a black deed could scarcely be imagined."

Mr. Jaffray now felt he had to deal with robbers, if not murderers, and he refused the bidding to alight. His captors used no violence, but the pretended detective told him they were the agents of a secret political society which met in the

neighborhood; that they had been deputed to bring him to the rendezvous. There was no intention to harm, but his liberty would be curtailed.

As to subsequent events, there are two different versions. The Telegram's exclusive story gave Mr. Jaffray all the honors of the struggle. He was dragged from the vehicle; then "lifted with a new strength, and setting his feet firmly on his head," he wrestled manfully or to the point towards the illuminated carriage. Twice the men threw themselves upon him, the "detective" drawing a revolver and threatening to give the contents of it.

"Fire away," shouted the plucky captive. "Shoot if you dare. I will never go with you but by force. If you two ruffians think you can handle me you had better try it."

Finally, his blow felled one assailant and Mr. Jaffray managed to reach the carriage, but the men shouted it was useless to arouse the inmates, as they were friends. Mr. Jaffray waited past the carriage, and a fourth ruffian ensued. Once he threw himself off, and then he unhesitatingly made for the house and knocked loudly, and as he did so he saw the two men drive furiously away.

On Sept. 4, the Telegram reported that "the morning papers, after having preserved strict silence as to the details of the outrage, are now publishing the sequel to a story of which they have kept their readers in total ignorance," and ended by saying that "some time previous to the Jaffray affair two men paid a visit at an untimely hour to the Hon. Oliver Mowat and were very urgent in their entreaties that he would favor them with his presence at a political meeting, but he refused to stir."

A subterranean tomb had been prepared for Mr. Jaffray on the banks of the Don, north of Winchester Street. On Sept. 10, the Telegram told how a constable, after breaking in the heavy door to an inner chamber in the cave, brought it to the newspaper office, for display in the window, and took a reporter back with him.

He found an outer chamber, partly roofed with timber and covered over with hay, as it appeared part of the bank. The cave widened into an oval shape on the front point, about 15 feet from the entrance, the great width being about five feet. Against the side wall was a seat made of a piece of lumber resting on two uprights about a foot from the ground.

On Sept. 13, John and Thomas Deal, aged 3 and 22, were arrested in Montreal. While awaiting trial the Telegram published their picture and their history. They were of an east end family of good reputation. The publisher, as he called to court on a contempt charge, but it was promptly dismissed.

In court, Mr. Jaffray testified to "several other attempts," and said one of the abductors had said that by firing his pistol he could bring the men to his terms.

Forth-Ham. 25c; shoulders, 18½c; hams, 30½c; pork loins, 25c; picnic, 17c.

Lord-Free tierces, 15½c; tins, 10c; pails, 6½c; prints, 10c.

Shorts, 10c; tierces, 10½c; tins, 11½c; pails, 11½c; prints, 11½c.

GRAIN QUOTATIONS

Following are Saturday's closing quotations on Toronto grain transactions for car lots, prices on basis of cwt. per bushel:

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, 93½c; No. 2 Northern, 90½c; No. 3 Northern, 88½c; No. 4 Northern, 81½c; No. 5 Northern, 70½c.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 42½c; No. 3 C.W., 37½c; extra No. 1 feed oats, 37½c; No. 1 feed, 36c; mixed feed oats, 35c.

Manitoba barley—No. 2 C.W., 30½c; No. 1 feed screenings, 31½c per ton.

South African corn, 65c.

Ontario grain, approximate prices: truck shipping prices: Wheat, 55 to 56c; corn, 38 to 39c; barley, 32 to 33c; oats, 24 to 25c; rye, 25 to 26c; milling barley, 27 to 28c.

South Africans Eat Cereals In Line Of Meat

South Africa at one time was a great meat-consuming country, and 20 years ago chops and steaks were features on the breakfast menu. Today they are a rarity, and cereals of the wheat variety have taken their place. And it is a fact that there is a marked difference in the physique generally of the present generation when compared with their parents and grandparents. The young people of today are not nearly as largely built.

The story of the opening of the Trades Exhibition in an English town where the committee of the butchers' section presented the mayors (who opened the exhibition) with a joint of prime beef in lieu of a bouquet of flowers, presents a moral to the trade in South Africa, says a correspondent of the Cape Argus. He suggests a slogan: "Eat Meat to Avoid Defeat."

The Sentinel

Might I look on where high Gibraltar stands,
Or where Victoria looks out on the bay,
Or tread our Empire's ports in far-off lands,
A scene I'd view like that I saw today:

For as I passed a gate that opened to a barrack-yard, behind a city street,
A trumpeting sentinel came into view,
Gun-mounted, and intent upon his beat.

As to and fro he goes, his vigil keeping—
A unit in a mighty multitude,
He guards a nation's weak, waking or sleeping,
And is entitled to its gratitude:

An ear, an eye he is unto the State;
A symbol, too, of Duty incarnate.
—Alexander Louis Fraser.

attempt was made to decoy him from his Beverley Street home.

EDITOR'S NOTE.—Mr. Robert Jaffray was a fine type of Scotch gentleman who was well known in Ottawa when he sat in the Senate. He was the father of the present president of the Toronto Globe.

DEPRESSION PROVES A MIXED EVIL

Death Rate Consistently Lower During Off-years For Business

OTTAWA.—The Dominion Bureau of Statistics has issued a report showing Canada's death rate had dropped consistently during the business depression. The report showed deaths from communicable diseases generally fell in the 1921-23 period but that those from diseases of the heart, arteries, nephritis and cancer mounted.

In 1923 the death rate per 1,000 population was 11.1. It rose in 1929, a bad influenza year, to 11.3, then dropped steadily to 9.5 in 1932. Preliminary 1934 figures indicate it dropped further to 9.4.

The report showed heart disease deaths per 100,000 population were 94 in 1921 and 119.3 in 1932; from arterial diseases 35.9 in 1921 and 70.3 in 1932. Cancer deaths per 100,000 rose from 73.3 in 1921 to 103 in 1932. More than half the cancer death increase, however, was said to have been brought about by a general increase in the number of elderly persons in the country.

The death rate from tuberculosis dropped from 74.7 in 1921 to 52.1 in 1932. The report said the decline was "marked" in some extent by improvement in registration among Indians who are far more susceptible to the disease than white persons.

The rate of violent death, including accidents, showed little change from 1921 to 1930 when it rose from 62.9 to 70.1, then declined until it reached 61.7.

The report showed continuous reduction from 1921 in deaths from diphtheria. The rates per 100,000 from 1921 to 1932 were 20.2; 18.2; 13, respectively. In 1933 the rate was down to 1.5.

Great Discovery

A scientist says it is the lower part of the face, not the eyes, that gives away one's thoughts. Especially when one opens the lower part of the face.

To abandon yourself to rage is often to bring upon yourself the fault of another.—Aesop.

SPORT HOT SHOTS

BY KEN EDWARDS

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Voice of the Press CANADA

HIGHWAY MENACE

The Department of Highways has announced that a night patrol of main roads is to be established and that special attention will be given to cars with one headlight. Again and again there have been warnings of close surveillance along this and other lines. Yet the one-eyed automobile continues to be met on the highways, people coming to drive without permits, trucks without the required equipment, and other vehicles with faulty brakes continue to be met.

—Kingston Whig-Standard.

A GOOD REPORTER

The driving power that produces a good reporter must exist within him. It is enthusiasm, keen interest in life as it is being lived, an ability to find the full and rounded flavor of existence and to glory in it. No reporter driven by external forces ever produced a story that was worth an inch of space in his newspaper.

Love of work, joy that can be found only through achievement, the "fun of the thing" figure more largely in newspapering than in virtually any other occupation.

Perhaps there is little of conscious idealism and less still of "highly-souled motives." But there is a curiosity, an earnest interest in the jobs at hand, and they meet the need just as well.

—Hamilton Herald.

ALWAYS OBLIGING

The pretty girl, according to Dorothy Dix, likes to be told she is "intelligent." And the intelligent girl likes to be told she is "pretty." Oh, well, as a rule we prefer to cheerfully in either case.

—Windsor Star.

A CANADIAN GUIDE BOOK

No Canadian about to visit Europe for the first time would dream of going without some sort of guide book. He or she would want to know which spots are the most worth seeing, which have the greatest historical or scenic interest, which places he or she could afford to miss.

Yet for the Canadian who is traveling in Canada there are almost no up-to-date guide books at all; and that is a pity, because Canada is an immense country, and few of us are very familiar with much of it outside of our own immediate belt.

Here's a chance for some enterprising publishing house to give us a Canadian Hand-book.

A FISH AND A BOY

One of the differences between a fish and a boy friend, says a girl friend of the Outlook, is that when you try to catch a fish it swallows the hook but a boy friend will swallow the line also.

—Lindsay Post.

JUST IN THE RECORDS

Mr. J. P. Nichol, Registrar of Motor Vehicles for Ontario, sends us this tabulation of "suspensions" imposed under the various provisions of the Ontario Highway Traffic Act during the first seven months of this year and last:

1934	1933
Reckless driving, resulting in personal injury or property damage	753 945
Speeding	23 65
Driving, no license (in accident)	64 137
Criminal negligence	14 18
Other offences	55 98
Failure to satisfy judgment	25 60
Police convictions	603 608
Failure to return to court at accident	73 64
Intoxication	167 246

Total

Presumably these suspensions include the impounding of license plates as well as the taking up of drivers' permits.

It is good that the penalty of suspension is being imposed freely by the Department in serious violations of the traffic laws. It would be better if the added penalty of publicity were attached.

When a driver's plates are seized, or his permit suspended, through departmental action, the punishment is a matter between the individual and the Highway officials. The general public are not advised, because this information does not go to the newspapers. The Journal suggests again that more publicity would add immeasurably to the effectiveness of suspension as a deterrent of recklessness.

—Ottawa Journal

According to one writer, the average woman has a vocabulary of only eight thousand words. But look at the turnover!

—Halifax Herald.

THE COMMON ENEMY

There's a thought for those who fight the common cold. It costs the nation \$10,000,000 a year—about a pound a day for the colds of the people. While we are at it, let's fight the common cold.

Which strikes 45 to 50,000 people all the time. It can be cured with 50¢, but it can be fatal if not cured. It is the most common enemy of the human race.

—London Daily Express.

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MOUNT HOPE DEFEATS ST. ANN'S IN FINAL GAME IN O.A.S.A.

The third and deciding game in the O.A.S.A. play-offs between St. Ann's and Mount Hope was played at Stoney Creek on Saturday night before a record crowd. Each team having won a game and two wins being required to declare the winner, Community Park was chosen as neutral ground to settle the issue.

It was a stirring game, each team playing fast and faultless ball, but the Westwood aggregation was too much for the Lincoln county lads. Mount Hope emerged winners by the score of 4-0. In the second inning three runs were scored by the Glanville team and again, in the eighth, it scored. Although the better team won on the evening's play St. Ann's team requires no alibi for the showing it made, this being its first year in organized baseball, and winning the cup in the Niagara Fruit Belt league. Robinson and Overend formed the battery for Mount Hope, Cooks and Cooks for St. Ann's.

IRREGULARITIES ALLEGED IN WATER WORKS PROJECT AT BURLINGTON

At a meeting of the water commission with F. W. Watson, mayor of Burlington, in the chair, it was decided to hold a special meeting before September 14 to deal with charges made by S. H. Bates, concerning irregularities said to have taken place on the waterworks project.

Two contracts were let amounting to some \$4,000. They were for electrical equipment, costing \$3,900, let to the Hamilton Sterling Electrical company, and \$1,092 for the installation of machinery, let to the Canadian Comstock company. Both companies to use Canadian Westinghouse equipment.

CANADA TO KEEP OUT OF QUARREL, SAYS BENNETT

(Continued from page 1)

struction of our obligations will serve, in equal measure, debtor and creditor alike."

He said it was "impossible to achieve recovery in so sure and spectacular a way that, in relation to our new-found wealth, even our present debt will not be disproportionate."

After reviewing the problem, he was driven to the conclusion that "it is the duty of Government in Canada to undertake a comprehensive reconstitution of the whole national debt structure."

He announced that the Farmers' Creditors Arrangement Act, "which has already been the means of bringing relief to many thousands of Canadian farmers," will be extended in principle to benefit the city dwellers, to bring relief to the home owner who is burdened with a mortgage the interest on which he is unable to pay. He believed the mortgage would welcome the introduction of legal machinery by which the mortgagor will be enabled to scale down his obligation to these proportions where the mortgagee's interest is assured, for the reason that the home owner can pay it and still remain solvent.

Allying to the Canadian National Railways debt, the Provincial and municipal debt, the debt to the people of Canada, and to foreign countries, Mr. Bennett said:

"Now I tell you plainly that this great national debt of ours must be reduced. Although we are making progress to reduce it; although indeed we have made, in a comparatively speaking, phenomenal progress in the last two or three years; although our business is picking up, our trade increasing, our unemployment decreasing, I will not pretend that I can see any real promise of permanent security until we have lightened this awful burden of the nation's debts."

"You do not have to be in the confidence of the Government to know how serious the situation is. Some municipalities have been compelled to default. Some provinces would have defaulted had the Dominion not come to their aid."

"The strain which this country feels in meeting the annual charges upon its vast indebtedness is tremendous. What do we propose to do in these circumstances? We propose to ask the people of this country who are the creditors of the Dominion Government, the Canadian National Railways and of the Provinces and of the municipalities, to agree to a scheme of conversion upon a substantially lower rate of interest than that now provided for."

"In future there will be no more tax-free bonds offered by the Dominion of Canada."

"We will co-operate with the Province and the municipalities in refunding operations and upon terms and conditions just to the people of this country."

STEVENS MEETING

A meeting under the auspices of the Stevens Club of Grimsby will be held in Trinity Hall on Friday evening at 8.15 o'clock which will be addressed by Billy Wisner, "The Boy Premier" and by Mrs. A. Allison, Hon. Vice-President of the Lincoln County Stevens Club Headquarters.

Local Items of Interest

Miss Gladys Bateman, formerly of S. S. No. 4 School, near Vineland who was recently appointed principal of the Grimsby Beach School in succession to Miss Flora Afton, assumed her duties at the beginning of the fall term.

The hardware stock of Mr. William Hardman who has been obliged to dispose of it owing to ill health, was sold by public auction during the past week, a large number attending the sale.

Rev. E. A. Burchman will officiate at the morning service in Bedford Park United Church, Toronto, on Sunday in connection with special services being held to mark the dedication of a new pipe organ which has been recently installed. Rev. G. W. Wood, former minister of Trinity United Church, is the pastor of the church. Mr. Burchman will be present at the evening service in the local church when lantern slides of pictures by Harold Copping on "The Life of Christ" will be shown.

A large number attended the auction sale of household effects held on the premises of E. H. Fye on Saturday afternoon. Auctioneer J. W. Kennedy efficiently conducted the sale.

The North Grimsby township council will hold its September meeting on Saturday afternoon next.

Rev. I. E. Kaine, minister of the Presbyterian Church, occupied his pulpit following several weeks' absence on vacation, preaching to large congregations on Sunday. Mr. Kaine and family spent their holiday at Lake Simcoe.

Grimsby's municipal elections will be Monday, December 2nd with nominations on Friday, November 22nd. The change was made last year and will again be effective this year. Previous elections were held in January.

The Mothers' Club will begin its monthly meetings again, the September meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Melburn Pettit on Thursday, September 19th, at 8 p.m. A good turnout of the mothers is requested.

SEVERAL INJURED IN HIGHWAY ACCIDENT

At 8.30 o'clock on Sunday morning an accident occurred on the Niagara highway in the hollow east of Lake Simcoe, Stoney Creek, when a roadster owned and driven by John Chylinski, 17 years of age, of 218 Maria street, Toronto, crashed into the anchor post of the guard rail on the north side of the road, tore out six other posts and rolled over the embankment. Besides the driver in the car were Walter Wells and wife, Tillie, and Jean, aged four, of 2367 Dundas street west, Toronto. Walter Wells received a fractured arm and a wife a fractured pelvis, the baby escaping uninjured, the driver being cut about the hands and face. A passing motorist, Harold Hindman, 76 Cameron avenue, Hamilton, picked them up and rushed them to Dr. M. E. Heddie's office where they received treatment after which Hindman conveyed them to the city hospital. The cause of the accident according to the driver of the car was slippery pavement, causing him to strike the shoulder of the road on the south side after which it careened across the highway into the guard rail. Officer Ed. Jens was called and investigated the accident.

ARRESTED ON THEFT CHARGE—IN HOSPITAL

Wanted in Hamilton on a car-stealing charge, William Edwards, 25, of St. Catharines, lies in the General hospital, Toronto, after being shot and wounded by Toronto police in a sensational auto chase in North Toronto early Sunday morning.

Shot as he drove a stolen car at a 60-mile-an-hour pace along North Yonge street, Edwards lost control of the machine and it overrode curbs from the street and across the sidewalk before crashing through the window of a butcher shop.

Constable W. Koopman fired the shot which ended the chase as he stood on the running board of a car he commandeered after the driver of the stolen car had nearly run over him some distance south on Yonge street. Facing two other car theft charges, Edwards admitted stealing a Hamilton car on August 22. This car, belonging to A. O. E. O'Brien, Grimsby, was recovered in Niagara Falls on information Edwards gave to Toronto police.

Besides the bullet wound, Edwards suffered two broken ribs and other injuries in the crash which terminated his flight from police. As soon as he is discharged from hospital he will be brought to Hamilton.

Advertise YOUR WANTS

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PROPERTY FOR SALE—Located on prominent street in town. Good house with 7 rooms and bath; gas, also wired for electric stove, new hot air furnace. There is also a large barn and 1/2 acre of orchard. Will sell cheap. Apply box 367, Phone 231. 2tp

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LOST

LOST—September 8, 1935, on Main or Mountain St., sum of money. Reward for return to Box 24, Independent. 2tc

WANTED

WANTED—A. Cloughly is prepared to make power connections from the street line to residences and to give estimates on all lines of concrete cement work. Phone 29. 2tp

For printing of all kinds try The Independent.

WANTED

Single man for orderly at the Lincoln County Industrial Home. Must live in the Home. Good health, clean habits, physically sound. Former experience not necessary. Returned soldier or a man with some knowledge of first aid might be acceptable. State age and references. Address applications to Comby Wismer, Clerk of the County of Lincoln, St. Catharines, Ontario.

CLERK'S NOTICE OF FIRST POSTING OF VOTERS' LIST

(Voters' Lists Act, Section 10, Form 4)
Voters' Lists, 1935, Municipality of Town of Grimsby County of Lincoln. Notice is hereby given that I have completed with Section 2 of the Voters' Lists Act and that I have posted up at my office at 9 Main St. East, Grimsby, on the 10th day of September, 1935, the list of all persons entitled to vote in the said Municipality at Municipal Elections, and that such list remains there for inspection.
And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law, the last day for appeal being the 1st day of October, 1935.
Dated this 10th day of September, 1935.
G. G. BOURNE,
Clerk of Town of Grimsby.

BAILIFF'S SALE

By virtue of Landlord's Warrant issued to me I have seized and taken into possession the following stock of PAINTS, VARNISHES, OILS ETC. WALL PAPER GLASS BRUSHES

FIXTURES:—Table, 2 chairs, wall cash, paper rack and shelving, 1 counter, 1 step ladder, 1 saw, 1 glass box.

The above will be sold by Public Auction on bid, of each of the above lots, on Friday, September 20th at 2 o'clock at No. 6 Main Street West, Grimsby.

The above stock and inventory of mine as he seen on application to: J. C. HARTSTONE, Bailiff, Grimsby.

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Will Rogers
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"THE AWAKENING OF JIM BUNKE"
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- at -
COLLEGIATE AUDITORIUM

Catharine St., St. Catharines

- on -
THURSDAY EVENING, SEPT. 12

1935, 8 p.m.

The electors of Lincoln are invited to be present for the discussion of the many important problems of the day. A Veteran of the Great War, Colonel Ralston is an authority on soldier legislation and all ex-service men are particularly invited to be present.

GOD SAVE THE KING

VITAL STATISTICS OF TOWN OF GRIMSBY

Registrations of births, deaths and marriages to August 31st in the town of Grimsby show increases in all three. There were fourteen more births in 1935 than in 1934, the figures being 38 and 39 respectively and twice as many marriages, there being 26 this year as compared with thirteen in the previous year. Deaths this year numbered 18, while there were 15 in 1934.

TRANSIENTS USE

Members of the Grimsby Citizens Band on Friday discovered that several of their uniforms had been taken from the town hall. The uniforms which were used to keep transients warm, were not issued by the band as they had not been used for several days. They were found in one of the stables behind the grandstand at the fairgrounds. Local police found the garments. The transients had evidently found the uniforms in the town hall and then taken them to the fairgrounds to use as bedding. These transients have given local police a great deal of trouble lately, one of them now being under arrest in St. Catharines on a charge of theft of clothing from a cabin last weekend.

ANNIVERSARY BROADCAST

The Young People's Hour celebrates their first anniversary on the air, over Radio Station C.K.T.B., St. Catharines, September 17th. The hour is entirely sacred and is put on by young people for young people. It is international and undenominational. Special speaker and talent every Tuesday from 8 to 9 p.m. Will be glad to receive any requests for dedication numbers for sick, bereaved, birthdays or anniversaries, address to the Station.

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Mixed Pickles 27 oz. jar 25c

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LARD
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THE ONE AND ONLY
H. P. SAUCE
btl. 27c
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Mama
SOUP
2 1/2 25c

Blended or Spirit
XXX Vinegar gallon 35c

Sure Lite
Pocket Size 3 boxes "300's" 20c

Matchless
Matches 3 for 5c

Zinc
JAR RINGS doz. 19c
Lipton's
TEA Red Label 1/2-lb. pgs. 27c

Glenn's
LYE
(Cold and Copy)
1lb 11c

Bulk English
MUSTARD lb. 28c
Preserved
GINGER lb. 23c

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Shortening 13c Pumpkins, 2 1/2 8c

2 in 1 Polish 12c Kolonn Cocoa, 1's 15c

Falcon Fancy Pink Salmon, 1's 2 for 25c

Falcon Fancy Pink Salmon 1/2's 3 for 25c

Gold Medal Golden Bantam Corn, 2 for 23c

Marmalade 25c R. & W. Coffee, 1's 32c

Hereford Corn Beef 10c R. & W. Tea, 1/4 30c

Imperial Rice, 1 lb. 5c Kolonn Coffee, 1's 29c

Carnation Milk, 16 oz. 3 for 25c

Golden Spray Cheese, 1/2's 2 for 25c

Libby's Spaghetti 3 for 25c

Chase & Sanborn Coffee, 1's 35c

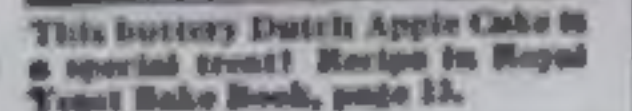
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Issue No. 26 — '35

and physical hygiene of the summer holiday is a most valuable institution," writes Sir W. Arbuthnot Lane. One need not be a profound psychologist to appreciate how modern life with its ofttime depressing routine, its rush and bustle tends to wear down the nervous system, filling our minds with discontent and weariness. In spite of the shortened working hours of today, I am convinced that work in factory or office and professional activities is much more exacting than ever before in the history of civilization. Inactivity, too, during times of economic stress, when social responsibilities are heightened. The average man and woman who take their job as a mission. The struggle for existence in the industrial and professional worlds is more keen. Sheltered occupations are few and the net result is that summer finds all classes of workers yearning for that break from the routine of their lives which the annual holiday provides.

"SALADA" TEA

At Last!

Psychiatrist Explains "The Trouble With Women"

The trouble with women, Dr. Karen Marten, New York psychiatrist, told delegates to the national convention of business and professional women's clubs here is that they have:

1. "An over-valuation of love and emotional relations.
2. "A complying attitude to men's ideas and ideals of femininity.
3. "An age phobia with a subsequent waste of human values.
4. "An inferiority feeling as a woman.
5. "Lack of solidarity among themselves."

"We have to free ourselves from the paralyzing unconscious that we are fighting against men," she concludes.

No true and permanent fame can be founded, except in labours which promote the happiness of mankind.
—Charles Sumner.

Quite a sweet life, the doctor's, eh? Try living in a doctor's home for a month and you'll say: "You can have your car and house and businessman's holiday and worry and lack of sleep. No, I'll get a nice job crackling rock."—Kirkland Lake Northern News.

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criminals. They may be careless for an instant, and cause an accident, or possibly even kill some person, but the act carries no viciousness or criminal intent with it," the judge pointed out.

The traffic problem is a new one, the judge pointed out. The auto has not been in existence long. The first horseless carriage was made in 1894, and for another 20 years it remained almost a rarity. But today everyone owns a car, and it has become a part of life, as much as a hat, shoe, and cigars, he said.

The automobile cannot be dispensed with. Nor can it be tied down by speed limits. That method of control will not defeat, he said, despite ruthless handling out of Alaska.

Then the driver who appears in traffic court needs care and advice, and a helping hand, Judge Misher said and to meet that need, where a fine new jail sentence might have been imposed with nothing but bad results, a "drivers' school" was established, where traffic offenders may be sentenced to school. Their course consists of lectures on traffic problems, and an attempt is made to sell them on the idea that reckless and careless driving is costly.

Placed on Merit Basis

He praised the work of many transportation agencies in helping to solve the traffic problem. The Detroit Motor Company has almost entirely eliminated accidents by placing drivers on a merit basis and other firms are imitating.

The judge commended the drunken driver sternly. "To drive a motor car today is a tough job, one that requires a lot of skill," he said. "Too drunk drivers' chances of occupying an accident are great. If he won't think of others, he should at least think of his own life."

Sketch Club

LESSON NO. 79

Pictorial Space Cutting — No. 2
In our study of last week's lesson, we taught the procedure of laying-out a landscape sketch. We gave a practical conception of Pictorial Space Cutting with "Unity and Variety".

I would like to chat with you now for a short time on similar features. You will remember we mentioned that you should now be able to have acquired that dexterity for workmanship that should enable you to easily place any object into your picture space as easily as a musician locates the notes on the key-board of a piano.

There are many different boundary lines you may use when making a

line or at rest; or the tree he cut down, then they seek the Horizontal-Line of rest.

The Curved-Line suggests gentle, mild, placid movement, while the Angular-Line suggests rugged, tempestuous activity. The curved-line is found in the convex masses of cumulous clouds, in pleasant gentle, rolling hills and valleys, in the swell of the sea and the movement of the surf; while the sharp, rugged, angular-lines are seen in mountain peaks, rough water, etc.

From this we learn that a sunset or any subject which is to express rest is better when placed in horizontal frame lines. See Fig. 226, while the vertical frame lines of Figs. 227, 228 and 229 should be

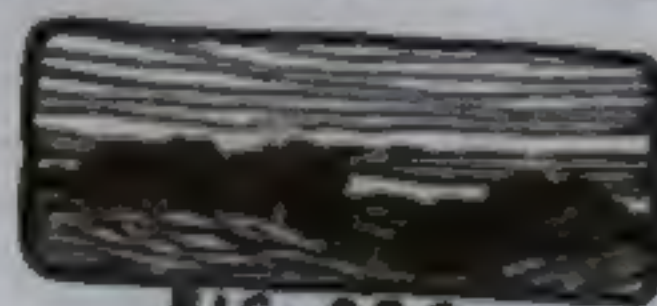


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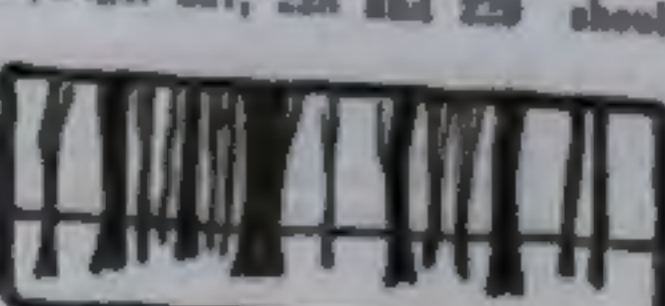
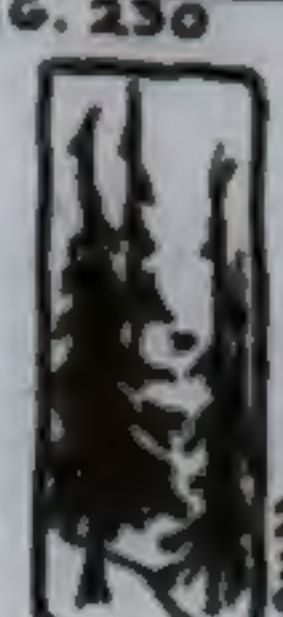
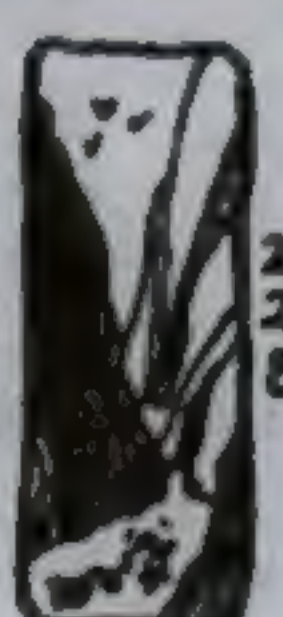


FIG. 230



Composition; but, whatever these shapes may be, there must be some correspondence of the elements of the composition to the frame-lines. If the picture space is High and Narrow, you must of necessity use some Vertical Lines; if it is Long and Low, you must by the same token use some Horizontal Lines, etc. In other words the lines of your Composition must conform to the frame line.

The different kinds of lines used in a Composition are the Horizontal, Vertical, Curved and Angular. The Horizontal-Line is indicative of rest, sleep, quiet repose. We find the Horizontal-Line in still water, in the desert and in the low, long cloud strata in the evening.

The Vertical-Line is indicative of life, growth, to rise, to soar, etc. When a man is well and active, or when a tree or plant is growing they assume this line; were the man

used when life, strength and dignity are to be expressed.

What is lacking in Fig. 230? There seems to be a scarcity of some kind of lines; certainly there are enough vertical lines but not enough horizontals. Therefore we have learned that all kinds of lines should be used in a composition; why? Because they give variety, and variety is essential in all compositions, but the dominating lines should conform to the frame lines.

Ex. No. 68. Compose 5 or 6 landscapes different in composition to those illustrated in this lesson.

These lessons are free. We invite questions from our readers which will be answered without any charge. A small fee is charged for criticism on readers' sketches. Enclose a three-cent (3c) stamped, addressed return envelope for personal replies to: The Art Director, "Our Sketch Club," 71 Adelaide Street West, Toronto.

Monkey Which Was Frozen



Hearings and hungry, a Japanese monkey came back from death in an amazing experiment performed in a Hollywood laboratory. Frozen to death five days previously, the monkey was successfully revived by Dr. Ralph K. Willard, biological research chemist of Hollywood, experimenting with a new method of halting disease. Klated over his newest success in reviving to complete normalcy an animal afflicted with tuberculosis, Dr. Willard hopes soon to turn over to medical science valuable data for combating ailments which have baffled doctors. The young scientist contends that freezing destroys the membranes in which the bacilli live and that therefore the bacilli, unable to multiply, die within a few hours after the animal is frozen. He believes the process may offer possibilities in the field of cancer research, through restoration of affected tissues. Dr. Willard is shown here with the animal he froze for five days.

Tells Of Gelm Prison



Henry Ambrose, ex-prisoner in Federal prison on Alcatraz Island in San Francisco Bay, pictured on deportation train. Ambrose broke down iron-clad secrecy surrounding pri on when he told of stringent rules which allow convicts to converse only once a week. "It's a devil's island, all right," he said.



"That stick of yours is very heavy."
"Yes, mum."
"It's a shame. They ought to let the police carry light weight sticks in hot weather."



"Why do they call it a court?"
"Because there is so much 'love' in the game."



"Vain, isn't she?"
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Imperial Travellers



Princesses Taka (left) and Princess Yori, rarely photographed daughters of the Emperor and Empress of Japan, pictured at train window as they left Tokyo for the Imperial villa to join their brother, Crown Prince Toga, for a vacation.

A Restful Picture



June Knight, stage and screen star, waves a cheery "hello" to New York City as she arrives from Hollywood, Cal., for a short vacation after finishing latest film.

BALANCE SHEET FOR YOUR TOWN

If your town is to be a success, its citizens must have a fair picture of it. The best method to get such a picture, according to Earnest Elmo Calkins, New York advertising executive and exponent of city beautification, is to set down both the vices and the virtues of your town.

"When a business man wants to know how his business stands," he says, "he makes an inventory". He sets down assets in one column and liabilities in the other, and strikes a balance. It will encourage you thus to learn what you already have in the way of advantages, to compare them with the disadvantages; to realize that while you have no community center, there is a good park; that while there are too many slum blocks, the library is excellent.

"Do not make the mistake, however, of thinking a good feature cancels a bad one, that if the board of health is efficient, you do not need a boys' club; that if you have a playground, you can get along without a little theatre; that a municipal garbage incinerator atones for badly paved streets.

"The idea of the balance sheet," he urges, "is not to make you complacent, but to visualize what you have to start with, and what must be done to turn all the liabilities (or as many as possible) into assets. It is a great help to get all such things down in black and white and look them squarely in the face."

Mr. Calkins suggests a survey of the community, with a group of citizens participating in it. When the survey is completed and every good point of the town set down, as well as everything that may, might, could or should be added, your balance sheet will look something like the one shown below.

"In some such form as this," he continues, "your balance sheet will appear. Its purpose is to show what is missing from your community, the advantages listed being merely to give you the consolation of knowing you have something on which to build. Not all cities can make so favorable a showing."

Such a list can be made the program for civic betterment. But, this, says Mr. Calkins, is merely a beginning.

BALANCE SHEET OF AN IMAGINARY CITY OF 30,000 INHABITANTS

Physical and Social Assets and Liabilities

ASSETS

- Healthy location.
- Beautiful surroundings, prairies and groves, remote from large cities.
- Tree lined streets.
- Three large parks, but outside city limits.
- Good public school system.
- Several private and parochial schools.
- College town, with large campus in heart of city.
- Excellent college library in beautiful and well arranged buildings.
- Free public library, one of best in the state, with own building.
- Free kindergarten.
- Little theatre.
- Attractive picture theatre.
- Public golf links.
- Low living costs.
- Low death rate.
- Good water supply.
- Modern sewage disposal plant.
- Community center.
- Manual training in schools.
- No dirt-making industries.
- Chamber of Commerce.
- Four service clubs.
- Two hospitals.
- Good fire department.
- Boy and Girl Scouts.
- 60 per cent. own homes.
- Etc., etc.

LIABILITIES

- Many ugly buildings, particularly churches.
- Too many filling stations on best corners.
- Public square unsightly.
- Only one small park in city.
- No zoning or town planning.
- No physical improvement organization.
- School buildings old and badly arranged.
- No well-stocked bookstore.
- No art gallery.
- No museum.
- No concern for historical monuments.
- Bad city government.
- No community house.
- No public playgrounds.
- Unplanted vacant lots.
- Stream through town ripped up with concrete, efficient but graceless.
- No parent-teachers' associations.
- Soft coal burned.
- Cas works too near civic center.
- Many streets badly paved.
- No mill.
- Too many.
- Lack of parks; facilities.
- City governed by political boss.
- Schools hampered by politics.
- College not sufficiently appreciated by town.
- Many fine old houses allowed to run down.

A Safe Slide To Second



Jackson, of the New York Giants, pictured as he slides to second base on Frisch's error in the first game of double header between the Giants and the St. Louis Cardinals at the Polo Grounds, New York City. Giants won the first game, 6-4, but Cardinals broke even by winning the second, 2-0.

Hangs By Necktie 2000 Feet Up



Dennis Smith, 26, of Westcliffe-on-Sea, Essex, England, had a narrow escape from death during a series of parachute jumps as he was making to qualify for his certificate at Bournemouth, when his necktie caught in the stay of the plane as he was about to jump from a height of 2,000 feet. The pilot chanced to look around, saw Smith hanging unconscious and grasped him as he was falling. Smith, the boy with one hand, the pilot skillfully landed the plane. Smith recovered under artificial respiration. Airport attaches are shown here as they revived the youth.

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The Week's New-of The Surrounding District

WINONA

Mrs. David Best left last week on the Duchess of York from Montreal for Birmingham, England, where she will visit her mother, Mrs. Goodman. Miss Jean Fulton also called on the same boat for Manichie, Scotland, where she will visit her mother.

Winona residents welcome Mr. and Mrs. George McPhail, a bridal couple of last week, to Winona. Mr. McPhail has taken over the grocery business of the late David Best.

The Women's Missionary society of Fifty and Wesley United churches held their first fall meeting at the home of Mrs. R. Almsie on Thursday afternoon, with an attendance of 20.

Rev. Charles Briggsman delivered an inspiring address on Present Conditions in China. The Herald representing the various countries each read titling papers.

Misses Helen White and Beatrice Rivand have been granted their entrance certificates.

VINELAND

John Wilman, son of Rev. R. F. Coffman, has left for Goshen college, Indiana, where he will be assistant librarian.

About a dozen from the Vineland tennis club attended the annual Niagara Peninsula Tennis league dance at the Grimsby Golf and Country club on Friday evening.

Culver's cannery factory is now running at full capacity canning peaches. Many extra women will be employed for the next few weeks.

A coroner by Frank Maxima and driven by his brother-in-law, skidded and turned over in the ditch on the slippery highway near Cherry avenue last week. Neither was hurt.

Percy Deibel, Jordan, is teaching in the S.R. No. 4 school on the highway. He takes the place of Miss Gladys Hartman who is now principal of the Grimsby Branch school.

GRASSIE

Miss Martha Johnson returned to her home after spending the summer months in Northern Ontario.

Miss Johnson will preach at the Grassie Church next Sunday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend.

The Grassie W. I. are holding their September meeting this Thursday afternoon at Mrs. Delmar Nelson's home.

Miss Dorothy Comfort our public school teacher spent the weekend at her home in Tilson.

BEAMSVILLE

Both schools opened Tuesday, with two new teachers each. In the public school Sidney Bradbury and Miss Irene Davis took over their new duties. Principal Grant reported that about 15 youngsters began school life.

The two new high school teachers are: Mr. Morley Richardson of Hamilton and Miss Blanche Blair of Toronto. One hundred and sixty pupils enrolled in the matriculation and commercial courses, while 66 are taking up those in the vocational forms. These figures are just about the same as last year, Principal C. Ash said.

During the absence of Provincial Motorcycle Constable D. M. Darby on vacation, Provincial Constable Ed. Jess of Honey Creek will patrol the strip of highway from Hamilton to Beamsville, and Provincial Constable Don Hoffman of Niagara Falls will patrol that section from Beamsville to Niagara Falls. Constable Darby and Mrs. Darby are on a fishing trip at Lake Nipissing.

Constable E. Jukine is responding favourably to the special treatment that he is undergoing. According to the report the chief should be home from Kingston by Christmas.

Workmen have begun preparations on the buildings at the fair grounds for the annual Clinton and Louth fair on September 20-21.

Dick Glover, proprietor of a refreshment booth in Beamsville reported to police that a thick woollen blanket had been taken from one of his cabins Monday morning. It is alleged that a party of American tourists from Michigan took the blanket as they occupied the cabin the night before. Efforts are being made to stop the car at the border.

Two Kodak cameras and a number of cigarettes were stolen from Frank J. Thomson's Drug Store on Sunday night. Reference to the store was made by examining the heavy plate glass window in the front door and then fastening the lock. The goods stolen are valued at about \$17 and are covered by insurance. The robbery was committed between 3 and 4.30 a.m. - Special Constable Stanley Gibson made his rounds at 3 a.m. and the broken window was discovered by a bus driver. He started out for work at 4.30. County Constable Claude Tully is investigating.

Extensive repairs are being done on Central avenue and the Middle Road within village limits. This work has not been necessary.

Auditors, the Jamieson Co. corporation, Mr. Murton Seymour, K.C., and the council had a closed session on Tuesday afternoon, discussing the audit of the year.

It was not after the conference on Tuesday that the auditing company had noted that they had com-

pleted their work as far as they were able to go and that the amount still stood at the \$1,250 figure. It was stated that the chief concern of the auditors at this stage was the corporation's receipts for water rates, cemetery and taxes still in the hands of some 200 ratepayers which had not been turned in to them as requested. It was decided to consult the crown attorney of the county on this point as to what steps would be advisable to take with the department of municipal affairs to have ratepayers who have such receipts or vouchers produce them on the demand of the auditors in order that the whole matter may be cleaned up.

C. F. Thiele, Waterloo, president of the Ontario Amateur Bands association, presented the chess B bands trophy and medals won at the recent C. N. E. contest to members of the Citizens' band, at a concert held in the Community hall on Sunday.

Clinton township council last week appointed Burton Bean to the position of township collector, made vacant by the resignation of Alva Stirling.

The pupil enrolment at the high and vocational school yesterday totalled two hundred and twenty-six. Of these one hundred and sixty enrolled for the academic course and sixty-six for the agricultural vocational course. The attendance at the public schools was around the one hundred and eighty mark, this including eighteen firstcomers in the primary room.

The Huntman reunion officers for 1903-04, will be as follows: President, L. E. Huntman, Beamsville; vice-president, Sidney Huntman, Lorne Park; secretary, Clarence Huntman, Guelph.

William McLean, arrested on Saturday night, charged with the theft of blankets and clothing from James Campbell and John Spink, appeared in magistrate's court and was remanded on account of the absence of the crown attorney. McLean, who was picking fruit in the district, gave his address as Hamilton.

August Detchen, arrested a week ago on a charge of breaking and entering the home of Frank Dunsmore at the Thirty, appeared before Magistrate Campbell in Thursday's court and was remanded, as the crown was not ready to proceed with the case.

Detchen was the man pulled out from under a bed in Dunsmore's home and taken in charge by Traffic Officer W. C. Telford and Stan Gibson.

LIBERAL CANDIDATE DISCUSSES GRAPE SITUATION IN PENINSULA

(Continued from page 1)
of their promise. I ask you if any one of you has noticed the decrease. "Don't be misled. Stevens is a Tory yet and still believes in high tariffs. It would be well for you to note at the present time the countries which show the fewest unemployed, namely Great Britain, Holland, Belgium, Norway and Sweden. These countries had all low tariff walls.

"Where the most unemployed and most pitiable conditions existed were Spain, Italy, Austria, Poland, U. S. A. and I am sorry to say our own Canada. These were all countries with very high tariffs. Didn't this show reasonably the cause of high tariffs?"

He also said that some people had been saying the Liberal party would drop all seasonal tariffs and dumping duties if returned to power. "Let me tell you something," said the speaker. "Any one who says so is telling an untruth. Wasn't it the Liberal party who first put dumping duties into effect? When returned to power they

The adjournment of the case is for one week.

Members of the County Calf club held their own most successfully in the various competitions at the Toronto exhibition last week.

In the individual calf competition Wray Collier, of Wellandport, was second and Oliver Dalrymple, of Smithville, third. In the Inter-calf club groups, the County club was first with Ayreshires and fifth with Holsteins.

will still keep them on. I have MacKenzie King's letter in my pocket to that effect right now," said Mr. Coombs.

"I know all you people here are interested in the grape industry. I have tonight some news which I hope may prove good news to you all.

"Recently a representative of the Canadian Vintages Ltd. of Liverpool, England, called a conference with representatives in the Provincial House of Lincoln, Welland and Westworth counties and put his proposition to them. His company would take the surplus crop of grapes at a reasonable price, erect a pressing plant in the peninsula and ship the juice to England to be made into a low grade wine. He only wanted the assurance from them that his company would be given freight preference. These three members of the Provincial House immediately got in touch with me and I in turn wrote a personal letter to Mr. King to find out his stand on the matter.

"I have his letter here in reply which states definitely that every assistance to market the natural products of Canada will be given by him. This company would take at least one million gallons of juice per year.

Before closing his address Mr. Coombs announced that Col. Ralston would speak at a Liberal rally on Thursday, September 12th, in the Collegiate Hall, St. Catharines, and that on October 10th in the Arena, Niagara Falls. Mr. MacKenzie King would address a rally in the interest of the candidates for Niagara, Lincoln, Welland and Haldimand.

After the usual votes of thanks the meeting adjourned.

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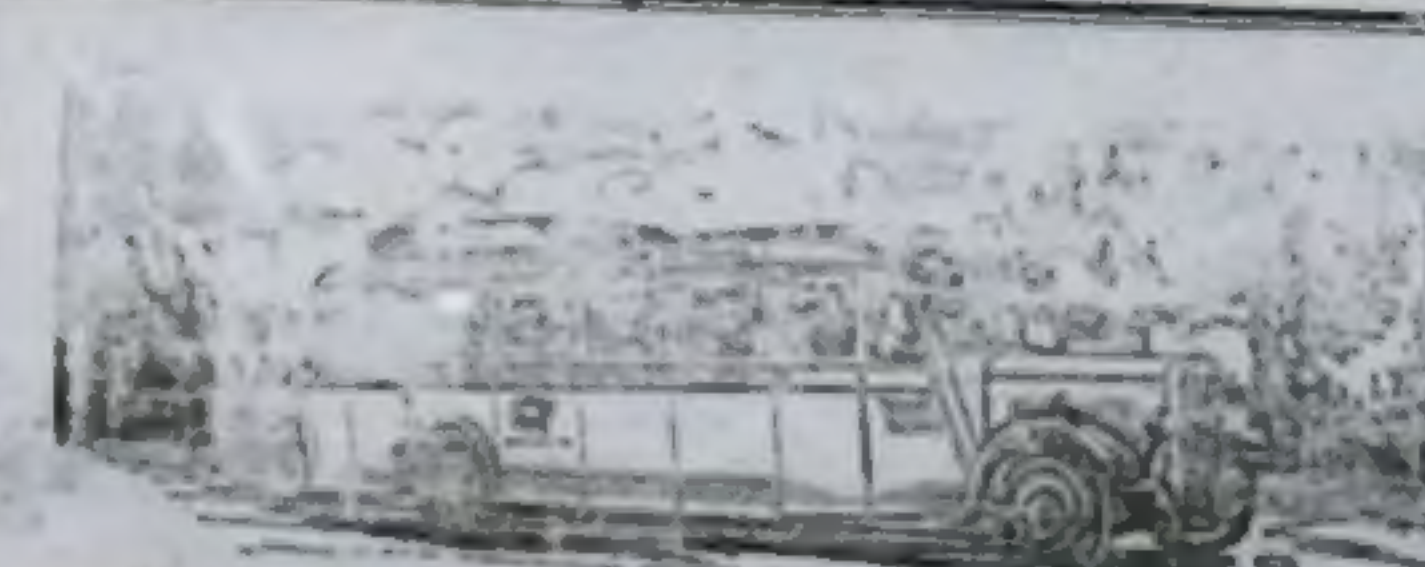
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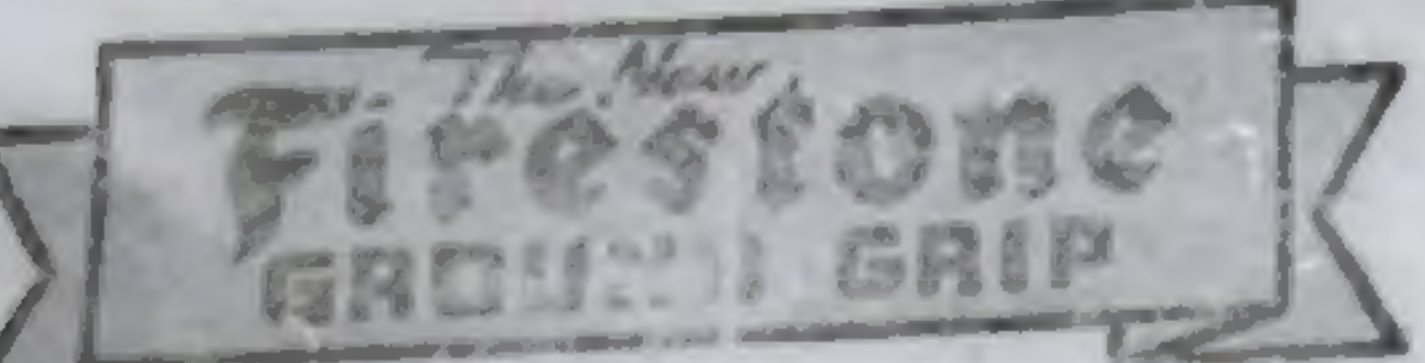
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